

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Vervoort et al. Confirmation No.: 3850
Serial No.: 09/623,329 Group Art Unit: 1634
Filed: November 13, 2000 Examiner: Carla J. Myers
For: *OLIGO NUCLEOTIDES FOR THE AMPLIFICATION AND DETECTION OF
EPSTEIN BARR VIRUS (EBV) NUCLEIC ACID*

Date: February 17, 2006

Attn: Mr. Don Fairchild
Office of Publications
2900 Crystal Drive, Room 8C09
Arlington, VA 22203

SUBMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Dear Mr. Fairchild:

Applicants would like to thank Mr. Don Fairchild at the Office of Publications for the courtesy extended during the telephone conversation on February 17, 2006. As discussed, Applicants submit herewith three sets of drawings, including the colored drawings for **Figures 4A, 4B and 5** that were previously submitted on July 2, 2004. It is requested that these new drawings be substituted for the originally file drawings.

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Respectfully submitted,



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